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TITLE OF INVENTION Cotton Event MON 88913 and Compositions and Methods for Detection Thereof					
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1.	⊠□	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.			
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3.		This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.			
4.	\boxtimes	The US has been elected (Article 31).			
5.	\boxtimes	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))			
		a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).			
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6.		An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).			
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	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).			•	
7.	\boxtimes	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))			
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		c. \square have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.			
		d. \square have not been made and will not be made.			
8.		An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).			
9.		An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).			
10.		An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).			
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11.	\boxtimes	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.		
12.	\boxtimes	An assignment document for recording	ng. A separate cover sheet in compliance	with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.	
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14.		An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.			
15.		A substitute specification.			
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17.	\boxtimes	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13 fer. 2 and 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.			
18.	\boxtimes	A second copy of the published Intern	national Application under 35 U.S.C. 15	4(d)(4).	
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20.	\boxtimes	Other items or information: Postcard;	; Paper copy of Sequence Listing and Re	equired Statement	

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In re Application of: Eric R. CERNEY Group Art Unit: Can DUONG Jesse L. HART \$, 11 Scott A. HUBER Examiner: Rachel L. KRIEB Jennifer J. LISTELLO Atty. Dkt. No.: 11899.0239.PCUS00 **Amy B. MARTENS Bernard SAMMONS** Serial No.: Filed: For: **COTTON EVENT MON 88913 AND** US §371 national stage application of PCT/US2004/002907 filed February 2, 2004 **COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS** FOR DETECTION THEREOF

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